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COUNTRY East Germany

REPORT

TOPIC KVP Central Ordnance and Equipment Depot in Doberlug-Kirchhain

EVALUATION

PLACE OBTAINED

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DATE OF CONTENT

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DATE PREPARED 9 November 1954

REFERENCES

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REMARKS

This is UNEVALUATED
Information

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1. By 31 August 1954, two or three railroad sidings are to be built by the Reichsbahn Bau Union from the main line to the former Industrielager 11 near Hennersdorf, east of Doberlug. A loading ramp will allegedly be built inside the camp.

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2. Since April 1954, stones, lime and concrete have been hauled to Industrielager No 11. Comprehensive construction work is to be done there by Bau Union Sued. Workshops were also under construction at the Schuetzenhaus in Doberlug-Kirchhain.

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3. In early August 1954, 4 flatcars with 8 guns arrived in Industrielager 11 from the direction of Erfurt and 2 flatcars with 4 guns from Doebeln. Guns which had been repaired were entrained in August for shipment to Neubrandenburg and Pasewalk. Discarded materiel was scrapped at the steel plant in Riesa. The barrels of these guns are sent to the Edelmetallwerk (special steel plant) in Doehlen the entraining station of which is Freital-Pottschappel.

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4. Prior to late August, construction work on a new workshop in the KVP central workshop in Doberlug was completed. The new building measured 80 x 32 meters and is located on the southwest side of the installation outside the fence. Optical instruments and oscillographs are repaired there. The transformer station of the workshop was increased from 60 KVA to 100 KVA.

5. In early October, a course for armor-craftsmen was completed. A new course was to begin on 12 October 1954.

6. In late September, the following spare parts were sent to Doberlug via the KVP plant in Mittenwalde II:

206 light machine gun butts from the Otto Helfricht Firm in Zella-Mehlis/
Thuringia
400 ammunition pouches from the VVB Lederwarenfabrik in Bautzen
350 signal pistols from the Fortuna Plant at Bautzen

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2,200 meters of Perlon rope
(8.5 mm indiameter)

from the Seilerwarenfabrik in
Mulda/Thuringia

Cleaning equipment

from the Blechverpackungswerk
(tin casings) in Meissen

7,300 kg of cleaning oil

from the VEB Mineraloelwerk
at Luetzkendorf

Comment. The report supplements current information on the
enlargement of the central supply installations in Doberlug-Kirchhain.
another 800,000 DM east were
allotted for this project for 1955.

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